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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant: Rupert MAIER et al.
Title: METHOD FOR SYNCHRONIZING NETWORK NODES IN
A SUBNETWORK
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Non-Final Office Action mailed May 6, 2009, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this Amendment.

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL	26	-	26	=	0
INDEPENDENT	2	-	3	=	0